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### LET FREEDOM RING!



### Son Of Y-12er Wins Honors At UT; Another In Marines Is World War II Vet

The two sons of Charles W. Harpe, Sr., of the Y-12 Electrical Maintenance Department, are "in there pitching" in the national defense picture—just as are many other sons of Y-12ers.

One of Harpe's sons, Clifford H. Harpe, has been designated as a D.M.S. (distinguished military student) at the University of Tennessee

where he was in the junior class last year. The other, Charles W. Harpe, Jr., is a sergeant in the United States Marine Corps and Former Y-12 Man Survives Explosion is now stationed at the Marine base at Camp Pendleton, Cal. Will Be R.O.T.C. Captain

senior year.

Marine reserve.

The youngest Harpe son at the

University of Tennessee through

gaining the D.M.S. honor will have

the privilege of choosing between

a regular reserve commission in

the United States Army when he

graduates from the university next

year. He is 22 years old and will

serve as captain of one of the university R.O.T.C. units in his

Clifford Harpe was initiated into the Scabbard and Blade, nation-

al honorary military society, last

April. He is now attending the R.O.T.C. summer camp at Ft. Eustis, Va., taking a six-week

Charles W. Harpe, Jr., is a vet-eran of World War II, when he

served in the United States Navy.

After being discharged he enlisted

two years, and later went into the

The elder Harpe son is married to the former Miss Helen Hedrick.

a former Y-12er, who left here in

Charles W. Harpe, Sr., has been

a familiar figure around Y-12

for the past seven years, coming to work back in 1944. His job has been the important one of being

one of the employees in the de-

partment handling maintenance of

telephone service throughout the

Veteran Of World War II

## Damaging Destroyer Gunner's Mate Third Class Roy

W. Coker. a former Y-12er in Electrical Maintenance, was among the lucky survivors when the U. S. Postrover Wall-e was badly dam-



aged by an underwater explosion while on duty in the Pacific Ocean June The blast, believed either caused by a mine or a torpedo, killed 26

wounded Roy W. Coker and seven of Coker's shipmates aboard the Walke as a hole 25 feet by 15 feet was blown in the side of the

Coker was a member of Organized Surface Battalion 6-22, United States Naval Reserve, when he was in the naval reserve, serving called into active duty last August
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### Flack Attending **Red Cross Meeting**

George W. Flack, Y-12 Assistant Industrial Relations Superinten-dent and chairman of the Oak Ridge Chapter of the American Red Cross, is attending an international meeting of Red Cross officials in New York this week.

## Y-12 Honor Roll -- Plant Men Now In Service

Next Wednesday is July 4, 1951, the 175th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence. On July 4, 1776, our forefathers risked their necks and all their earthly good to put together history's greatest declaration of a free people for freedom. Right now our freedom again is menaced.

During the past year a number of Y-12 men have entered into the service of their country-and are in the Army, the Navy, the Marine Corps or

Glenn W. Caldwell Thomas B. Hendrix Leonard Bowers, Jr. Charles F. Chandler Charles E. Kirkwood Harold K. Little Clarence J. Maddux, Jr. William A. Maddux Richard W. Garland William G. Womble



Robert J. Foley Wayne A. Groppe Paul E. Ross Arthur J. Stewart V. W. Rains, Jr. Eugene S. French Stewart Hatcher George L. Howard Gerald W. Langford Albert S. Garrett

the Air Force-doing their part in defense of our freedom. The list of their names is the Y-12 Honor Roll.

Those of us who are still hereengaged in vital work for the security of the country-should reach out our hands figuratively to each of these men, many of whom are overseas-in a handclasp pledging joint continuation of the fight against oppression, wherever it raises its ugly head.

Here is that Y-12 Honor Roll-best of luck, men, wherever you are.

Roy W. Coker Harvey C. Hankins Billy H. Montgomery Jack Joslin Donald I. Davis Kenneth M. Perkins Charles E. Davis Wayne R. McClellan William B. Plemens William T. Clark

# Carbide Savings Plan Payoff Set July 2

# 1483 Y-12ers To Get Checks At Regular Pay Points, Hours

98.24 Per Cent Of Eligible Weekly And Hourly **Employees Enroll In UCC Seventh Savings Plan** 

"Christmas in July" will be observed in Y-12 on next Monday, July 2, when 1483 Y-12ers will receive checks representing their savings, Company deposits and interest accumulated in the Sixth Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation Savings Plan over the past two years.

A special pay day will be set up to give out the checks, which will be distributed at the regular pay points and pay hours as observed on the regular pay days. Any Y-12ers unable to obtain the savings plan checks on next Monday may get them at the office of the Paymaster, Bldg. 9704-2, at any

# JULY 4 IS HOLIDAY;

Next Wednesday, July 4, is Independence Day and will be observed as a holiday in the Y-12 Plant. Only such employees needed for the continuous operation and protection of the plant will be required to work on that day.

Because of the holiday delivery of the next issue of The Bulletin, dated July 4, will be delayed one day as United States postal service will not provide deliveries on the holi-

### Goodman To Receive **Bravery Citation** For Saving Boys

Jamie J. Goodman. the pastry chef down in the Y-12 Cafeteria, will receive a citation for bravery from the Tennessee Safety Council in ceremonies in Oak Ridge Thursday night, June 28. The presentation will be made at the third annual dinner meeting of the Oak Ridge Safety Council at the Oak Terrace.

Goodman is being honored for his rescue of three boys from drowning in an icy pool last win-ter. He saw the lads plunge through ice while skating and jumped into the pond to hold their heads above water until a lifeline was thrown to pull all four to





CLIFFORD H. HARPE, LEFT, IS A UNIVERSITY OF TENnessee honor military student; and his brother, Charles W. Harpe, Jr., right, is a Marine Corps sergeant. Both are sons of Charles W. Harpe, Sr., of the Y-12 Electrical Maintenance Department. With Sergeant Harpe is his wife, the former Miss Helen Hedrick,

#### SAFETY SCOREBOARD

Your Plant Has Operated

61 Days

Without A Lost Time Accident

Through June 24



viewer Joe Smyrl going to invest in an apartment



Emma Russell W. F. Gary











E. L. Frye



Vera Love, right, tells inter-



Lou Kelley

H. E. Patterson



J. J. Goodman

W. A. Monroe



Eula M. Hayes

H. J. Powell

Ozell M. Pass

H. E. Aiken

C. M. Llewellyn

J. H. Brown

R. S. Morris

M. Householder

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# Mrs. Causey Succeeds Cooper In C. U. Post





C. A. Cooper Lorena Causey

Carl A. Cooper, Sr., of Wage Standards, has resigned as treas-urer of the Y-12 Employees' Credit Union because of press of Company duties and the board of directors of the credit union has elected Mrs. Lorena Causey as his successor. Mrs. Causey has been office manager of the credit union

for the past several months.

The rapid growth of the credit union for the past several months has increased the duties of treasurer to such a degree that he is unable to give the necessary time to that position and also handle his own work, Cooper said.

In electing Mrs. Causey to the position of treasurer the board of directors adopted the following resolution thanking Cooper for his work:

"Whereas: Carl Cooper accepted the office of treasurer of the Y-12 Employees' Credit Union during a

period of great stress, and; "Whereas: Treasurer Cooper remained faithful to his duties in spite of ever increasing responsibilities elsewhere, and;

"Whereas: Treasurer Cooper finds it no longer possible to continue in office;

"Therefore, we, the board of directors of the credit union, express our appreciation of the great work he has done and accept his resig-

nation with great reluctance.
"This resolution was adopted in regular session of the board of directors of the Y-12 Employees' Credit Union, June 20, 1951.'

### **Rides Wanted** And Offered

RIDERS WANTED - Four or five from Knoxville to Oak Ridge via Solway, straight owl shift, 11 p. m. to 7 a. m. Gene Kirk, plant telephone 7576, home telephone Knoxville 5-5224.



cation and the editor has to go to or way stations-so until she re- end at Celina, Tenn. turns will all you kind people

In starting out the week's comment let's begin right at the top. Y-12 Area Superintendent W. D. Lavers is vacationing in the land of the bean and the cod-Massachusetts yet-accompanied by his folks on an automobile trip to end. Devens, Cape Cod and other New England points of interest

H. C. McBirney, administrative assistant in the Superintendents Department, was called out to his home in Boise, Idaho, last week because of the illness of his father. He is expected back this week as last reports had it that his father improving. Mac's many friends hereabouts sure hope so.

As this week's news is being assembled on a get-it-while-we-can basis, mebbe realers will have to skip around a bit to find what they want. Departments may land almost anyplace in the space. Just keep looking.

Gus Angele, of Plant Engineering and commodore, commander what-have-you of the Oak Ridge Power Squadron, is leaving July 1 on a busman's holiday to Florida. During his trip he will visit power squadrons at Palm Beach and Miami to see how the deep sea boys do it.

A farm he calls it-anyhow Don Ross, of Health Physics and Hygiene, and his good wife, Martha, have gone country gentlefolks on us. Apparently they have become settled down on their new rural estate and have issued a brochure inviting their friends to pay 'em a visit to the establishment over around Kingston. They even have a map with the Ross manor marked 'this is it" and what appears to be an atomic bomb exploding at a cross roads as a directional guide. Fishermen, nature lovers, picnickers and travelers—and "everybody" are invited to "The Don Rosses."

Assay Laboratory now reporting -the girls of the laboratory really flung a whing-ding party-all female-June 16 over at Big Ridge. There was no shortage of food, but there was one of males. The only masculine guest was young Allen Ballard, little son of May Ballard, a former member of the group. Swimming, feasting and other picnic diversions were enjoyed by the gals-all of whom had a good time. Virginia Hill is vacationing this week in Daytona Beach, Fla., with her mother and brother . . The folks missed Mona Rollins, who was on the sick list last week . . Marcelle Ferguson is over in Iva, S. C. . . . Mattie Anderson took that Florida tan she acquired at

It happens every year—the 50- laboratory have set out S.O.S. calls week conductor of this here col- to traveling wives to return-they yum goes off hifalutin on a va- are missing that ol' home ccokin' . Chester Fultz and family vacawork. Miss Esther is somewheres tioned at Salisbury, N. C. . . . around Sweetwater, Chattanooga Katherine Young spent the week

A warm welcome was hung out be gentle in your comments on Miss Moody's journalistic pride and joy? Thanks a lot!

A wall with Analytical Lab-oratory to Bil Hamill, Horace Friedman, Billie Braden, Ruby Osborne and Charles Wheatley . . If any of the new folks are missed in this roll call the old-time labsters want to assure them they are included . . . Catherine Love flew over to Memphis for the week . Elizabeth Patrick is back from her trip to Scottsboro, Ala. Ozella Ward, Al Stevens and F. R. Williamson are back from

Vince Moore, the picture-making feller, and folks are touring Texas by automobile during their vaca-

Sue Carpenter Borum is welcomed back to Product Chemical after an absence of four years . . . Group I is planning a weiner roast Saturday night, June 23, at Concord Park-come one, come all and enjoy fishing, swimming and, of course, eating . . . Lowell Stooksbury spent the past week end at Paducah, Ky.... The Frank Thur-monds visited his grandmother in North Carolina last week end . . Bessie Phillips and L. E. Baker are back on the job after a week's vacation.

The John Lunds, of the Analytical Chemistry Division, had as week-end guests Mr. and Mrs. Anthony L'Estrance, of Cincinnati, Ohio, with their young son. Mrs. Lund and Mrs. L'Estrance were school mates in Boston. . .

S. R. Buckston and his wife, Marjorie, are attending a convention of the Kiwanis Club in St. Louis. where he is a delegate from the Wartburg, Tenn., club, of which he is president . . . Polly Goodwin is back from what she reports was a most restful vacation in that she stayed home and took a nap when and if she felt like it.

Property Sales has some new faces. One is Lawrence "Toy Man" Patrick, brother of O. W. Patrick, the in-again-out-againer in the Army . . . Another is L. A. Hammons.

A bunch of girls are going to whoop it up at Virginia Beach, Va., Doris Moore, Medical; Katy Williams and Betty Whitehorn, of Security; are vacationing together at the resort.

A. L. Conte is a new employee welcomed to Plant Engineering . . . M. B. Helton is vacationing at South Oak Ridge (Daytona vacationing in Houston and Dallas, Texas.

Guard Department: Sgt. D. B. Williams is vacationing for a couple of weeks-catching up on fishing and so forth . . . O. C. Beatty and J. R. Barbour also are

Daytona up to show off at her home in Pennington Gap, Va., last week end . . . Several men in the

Carbide Plan Praised

## Y-12ers Plan To Invest Savings In Homes U.S. Bonds, Credit Union And College

A "roving reporter" of The Bulletin toured the plant area last week to talk to Y-12ers who will soon collect tidy sums as a result of their participation in the Carbide Sixth Savings Plan. Below are the varied opinions of the interviewed employees-selected at ran-The interviews were conducted by Joe Smyrl, of The Bulletin and Recreation Office.

Vera H. Love, Analytical Lab-oratory—"The savings plan is a wonderful idea. My husband and I are pooling our savings and are ivesting in an apartment house."

Emma Russell, Engineering-"I personally think the savings plan is the best thing Carbide offers. I'll put my savings in my checking account for immediate use."

W. E. Gary, Engineering wouldn't miss a chance to join the savings plan. I already have bought a piano for the children with the savings I will receive."

Lou Kelley, Assay Laboratory-'The Carbide Savings Plan is a great idea. I'm going to put my savings in Government bonds."

H. E. Patterson, Chemical - " think the Carbide Savings Plan is a swell idea. I haven't decided as yet what to do with my savings, but I have signed for the new plan."

ance . . . Mildred Langley is welcomed to the department.

Isotope Research and Production folks are congratulating O. M. Garrett, who became father of an eight-pound son recently at the Oak Ridge Hospital.

Audrey Baldwin, who checks out a lot of Y-12 travelers at the cashier's office, is going vacationing herself—and of all the places she has to choose from in those many timetables, etc., she picked Myrtle Beach, S. C.

Shirley Brown, of the Tools Department, has some kind of a record, it is reported. She was sent home last week with the measles -not once, but twice . . . Kenneth Brown is vacationing in Knox-. No connection.

Pearl Patty is back on her job in Manufacturing Office after a vacation spent in Detroit . . . Irene Turner's sister, Merry Lewis Allen, who graduated recently from William and Mary College in Williamsburg, Va., is spending a week with Irene. The Y-12er attended her sister's graduation exercises and they came back here together.

Myrtle Beach also drew L. C. Emerson, of Health Physics and Hygiene, for his vacation spot .. Rudy Pletz and his wife, Virginia, are visiting relatives in St. Louis. Dean Read is doing likewise with his folks in Peoria, Ill.

W. T. Hays, of the Security Office, has been ill for the past week and pals hope he gets back scon Vivian MeKenzie, daughter of T. A. McKenzie, former superintendmany Y-12ers) . . . R. E. Austin is ent of plant protection at Y-12 and now at the Paducah plant, is working in the department for the summer.

J. R. Whitcomb, of the Housing estate business for a couple of weeks and with his family is vacationing at Gulf Island, Fla., on the West Coast... Betty Jo Butler and Meta Butler, of Wage Stan-Continued on Page 4

Jamie J. Goodman, Cafeteria-With another school quarter starting this summer, the savings will be a big help in paying my son's tuition at the University of Tennessee dental school at Memphis.'

W. A. Monroe, Cafeteria-"The savings plan really is a swell idea. I'm going to put my savings in the East Tennessee National Bank.

E. L. Frye, Cafeteria-"I'm going to split my savings, putting part toward a new home and the rest will go for a little nest egg."

Emma Puckett, Stores savings are going in the bank for now. I certainly think the savings plan is an excellent idea to teach thrift."

Eula M. Hayes, Assay Laboratory—"The savings plan is a won-derful benefit for Y-12 folks. I'll use my savings to increase my regular bank account."

H. J. Powell, Maintenance Shops "The Carbide Savings Plan money will be a big help in paying for the new home I bought

Ozell M. Pass, Assay Laboratory 'My savings will go right into the bank. I am very grateful for the savings plan opportunity to lay some money aside with the excellent interest given.

H. E. Akin, Engineering think the Carbide Savings Plan is a fine method to teach thrift and enable employees to save. going to put my money back into Government savings bonds.

C. M. L!ewellyn- Stores - "I plan to use my savings to build a new home."

J. H. Brown, Carbon Shop-"My savings are going right back into a bank savings account. I think the Carbide Savings Plan is a fine idea for employees.

R. S. Morris, Engineering think the Carbide Savings Plan is the best way for an average work er to save money. I'm going to fatten my savings account with the money I receive."

Mary K. Householder. Assay Laboratory—"I'm going to take my savings and invest them in the Y-12 Employees' Credit Union. I may save a little for personal use.'



The following Y-12 employees were patients at the Oak Ridge Hospital last week: Benjamin W. Beckham, Electrical Maintenance; Thomas L. Hart, Orland C. Blanton, Cleveland Cannon and George

## Y-12 SPORTS NEWS

FRED B. THOMAS, SR., OF the Isotope Research and Production Division, is telling this one around in connection with his capture of a man-sized largemouth bass, shown above being held by Fred, Junior. Shortly after pulling the big fish from Watts Bar Lake, having it photographed and duly attested for the Y-12 Fishing Contest, the elder Thomas opened up the carcass for cleaning and founda live turtle wandering around in an unconcerned manner inside of the bass' tummy. Fred Junior took charge of the turtle and was trying to make a pet of it-but the turtle apparently tired of all the Oak Ridge rain and went back to a streamperhaps to find a dry spot inside of another bass.



### Y-12 Pilot Breaks Course Record Opening Sailboat Race Program of Power Squadron

At least four Y-12ers will be at the tillers of trim sailing craft cutting the waters of Fort Loudoun Lake off Concord next Sunday afternoon when the Oak Ridge Power Squadron will continue its summer sailing racing program. A series of 10 events, the first three for establishment of handicaps and the remaining seven for racing for points, has been arranged 12 Boats In Opening Race alternate Sundays through October 21.

Lockhart Defending Champion

Among the Y-12ers entered in the program are George Lockhart, 1950 handicap champion; G. J. Angele, commander of the squad-ron; Bob Schroeder and Frances Gillian, the latter piloting a boat owned by the Oak Ridge Girl More than a dozen boats belonging to squadron members in Oak Ridge are expected to participate in the races.

The July 1 race will start at

2:30 p. m.

### Activators Only Y-12 Team To Win In Summer Pin Loop

Only one of the Y-12 teams in the Summer Bowling was able to eke out a victory Wednesday, June 25. The Activators were the victorious team in their three-point win over the Y-12 All Stars. The Gophers, another Y-12 entry dropped three points to the K-25

All Stars.

Morrow of the K-25 All Stars took the individual honors for the night with handicap scores of 255 single game and 653 series. The -25 All Stars took the team scor-g honors with 999 handicap single game and a 2845 handicap

### Netters Of Y-12 Will Play In Oak Ridge Tournament

Several Y-12 tennis players, both men and women, are expected to enter the Oak Ridge Tennis Club midseason tournament with play scheduled to begin Saturday, June 30. Brackets will be made and posted at the Ridge Recreation Hall Friday night, June 29.

Competition will be held in singles and doubles for men and

Fred Hurst, Nathan Smith and Al Hodges, of the Y-12 men's team, will compete.

In the opening event Sunday, June 27. Schroeder set a new record for the three and one-half mile course, negotiating the distance in 45.6 minutes. He was sailing a Thistle craft owned by a Knoxville boatman. Lockhart finished second, Frances Gillian sixth and Angele eighth. The latter was sailing Lockhart's boat.

There were 12 boats entered in the June 17 event, with pilots from all three of the Carbide plants in Oak Ridge and from Knoxville. The success of the initial race bodes well for the entire program if weather does not interfere too

much, Angele said. Handicaps for the races will be established on the basis of a threerace series during which no skipper will sail his own boat. The incentive will be to sail the craft of some competitor to minimize his handicap. In actual races the first boat must finish the course within two hours or "no race" will be declared. Four boats will be the minimum number of starters accepted for any race and half of the boats must finish within two and one-half hours or "no race"

will be proclaimed. During the racing program win-ners will accumulate points and the season's champion will receive a handsome trophy at completion of the summer schedule.

### East Portal Parking Lot Work Will Begin Shortly

Work on improving the parking lot at the Y-12 East Portal is expected to begin in about a week. The Harrison Construction Co., of Maryville, Tenn., submitted a low bid of \$33,777 for the project and was offered the contract by the Atomic Energy Commission. Actual work is to start within seven days after the contract is signed.

When work is started motorists using the East Portal parking area will begin using the new temporary parking lot north of the garage, Bldg. 9712. Two gates have been provided for these motorists and a temporary Guard Department checking point established for service during the construction period. The gates and Guard Department post will be open from

6:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. The new parking lot at the East have entered the tournament. Of the women's team Mozelle Rankin, vide accommodation for 178 vehicles. Mary Freestone and Joan Gillian Parking will be at a 45-degree

# Duds And Rusty Nine Y-12ers Hope Home Surge To Top Spot

# Tilts To Bring Wins

### Plant League Gets Good Start In Second Half

SCHEDULE FOR WEEK
Wednesday, June 27, 6 p. m., Grocers
vs Orphans. 7:30 p. m., Bldg. 9212 vs
All Stars. 9 p. m., Sparks vs Duds.
Thursday, June 28, 6 p. m., Isotopes vs
Rusty 9. 7:30 p. m., Bldg. 9211 vs 49ers.
Monday, July 2, 6 p. m., Bldg. 9212 vs
Bldg. 9211. 7:30 p. m., Duds vs Rusty 9.
9 p. m., Isotopes vs 49ers.
Tuesday, July 3, 6 p. m., All Stars vs
Grocers. 7:30 p. m., Sparks vs Orphans,
9 p. m., Duds vs Bldg. 9212.

The Y-12 Plant Softball League athletes managed to get in eight games last week as the second half of the season got under way. A pair of second division teams in the first half standings, the Duds and Rusty 9, took over the loop lead with a pair of wins and no losses through play last Thursday night. Law Pitches Shutout

Although some more high scores were recorded, the pitchers seem to be doing somewhat better as the weather becomes warmer. There was one sparkling mound duel staged last week with the Duds blanking the Isotopes behind the fine hurling of Law, who gave up out four hits. The winners banged the same number of safeties off Killian. Most of the games were close and the Duds pulled one out of the bag in the last of the seventh with a run to top the Grocers by 11 to 10. Amonther close one saw the All Stars score twice in an extra round to lick the 49ers by 11 to 9.

Weather permitting, the first half championship was expected to be determined in a game to be played Monday night of this week between the Orphans and Isotopes. A win by the Orphans would give them the crown, but a loss would throw the first half race into a three-way tie between the Orphans, 49ers and Bldg, 9212.

Scores Of Last Week Scores of games played last week and second half standings follow: Team R H Grocers 012 150 1—10 1 8 Duds 320 031 2—11 8 Grocers: Doss and Hutto. Duds: Schultz,

100 010 2— 4 110 401 x— 7

Orphans 110 401 x— 7 8
49ers: Bishop and Jones, Orphans: Hawkins and Noe. 000 000 0— 0 4 100 003 x— 4 4 Isotopes: Killian and Shots. Duds: Law and Rhea.

Grocers 010 024— 7 7 Rusty 9 142 33x—13 13 Grocers: Doss and Hutto. Rusty 9: Mc-Allister and Morris. 

ess and Lanier.

All Stars 410 013 02—11 16 49ers 050 100 30— 9 8 All Stars: Higgins, Twitchell and White. 49ers: Bishop and Jones. LEAGUE STANDING

Isotopes

## Y-12 Traffic Violators Seen Creating Accident Hazard

Plant Protection authorities have stated that a tendency has been noticed on the part of motor vehicle operators, within the Y-12 area to exceed posted speed limits. This speeding, it is pointed out, results in a constant hazard to every employee in the plant and unless the practice is discontinued the possibility of serious accidents is increasing.

#### ANALYTICAL LABORATORY BOWLERS KEEP ACTIVE

Bowlers, both men and women, in the Analytical Laboratory, are having a lot of fun this summer with mixed bowling events held at 7 o'clock every Monday night at the Central alleys. All department members are invited to join the fun-regardless of skill or lack of it Bowlers are on the alleys. paired according to ability to provide the maximum enter-tainment and even competition.

### Red Birds, Robins Meet Athens Teams Here On Saturday

The varsity softball teams of Y-12, the Red Birds and Robins, are having a busy time both entertaining and visiting the men and women teams of Athens these days.

The Athenians are scheduled to play the Red Birds and the Robins in a double header here Saturday night, June 30, at Midtown Park. The first game will begin at 7:30 o'clock with the nightcap to follow on completion of the opener.

The Red Birds are slated to travel to Athens on Friday night of this week, June 29, to meet the home town club. The Robins paid their visit to Athens last Saturday night.

In this game, the home town Athenians trimmed the Robins' wings 7 to 3, although the Y-12 lassies out-hit their opponents. Four Y-12 errors were costly.

Score: Team Aikman and Roberts. Osborne and Campbell.

### Second Round In Golf Loop Opens; New Team In Circuit

The Deacons, Rough Riders and Four 100s got away to running starts in the first round of second half of play in the Y-12 Plant Golf League last week. The Deacons trounced the Turf Riders by 15 to 21; the Rough Riders routed the Green Rays by 12 to 24 and the Four 100s beat the Birdies, new team in the league, by 16 to 20. The Rippers and Four Woods

played to an 18-all tie. In the other match the Divots downed the Hooks by 17 to 19.

The playoff for the first half of the season chimpionship between Turf Riders and the Rippers will be hel dnext Sunday, July 1.

### Six Y-12ers In New Chapter Of AIIE, Davis Is President

Roy Davis, of Y-12, has been selected the first president of the recently organized East Tennessee Chapter of the American Institute of Industrial Engineers. Five other Y-12ers are members of the chapter. In addition to the president, the other members are John Harding, Brice Burris, Robert Devenish, Lester Cater and Nelson Bethea. The East Tennessee chapter is

one of eight in the entire United States and has a charter membership of 23, representing the three Carbide units in Oak Ridge and other industrial plants in this section of the state.

The local group plans to hold meetings on the second Monday of each month and will endeavor to increase its membership to serve industrial engineers throughout East Tennessee.

When discussing or dictating classified information-don't raise your voice.

### Cards Will Entertain **Knox Teams This Week**

SCHEDULE FOR WEEK

Baseball
Thursday, June 28, 8 p. m., Rockford
at Oak Ridge.
Saturday, June 30, 8 p. m., Brookside
at Oak Ridge.
Tuesday, July 3, Chapman Highway at
Caswell Park, Knoxville.
Men's Softball
Thursday, June 28, Georgia-Tennessee
at Knoxville.
Monday, July 2, 7:30 p. m., K-25 at Oak
Ridge.

Friday, July 6, 9 p. m., ORNL at Oak

Ridge. Women's Softball
Friday, June 29, 7:30 p. m., KeckDovis at Oak Ridge.
Tuesday, July 3, 7:30 p. m., Corryton at
Oak Ridge.
Friday, July 6, 7:30 p. m., K-25 at Oak
Ridge.

The Y-12 varsity diamond outfits had tough sledding again last week, but are determined to regain their winning ways during their next few engagements, most of which are scheduled for home diamonds.

Knox Teams Scheduled

The Y-12 Cardinals baseball team is scheduled for a pair of tilts at the Gamble Valley ball orchard. Rockford is scheduled to come out for an 8 o'clock date Thursday night and Brookside Mills is due at the same hour Saturday night. The Cards are scheduled to meet Chapman Highway at Caswell Park in Knoxville next Tuesday night, July 3.

After a trip to Knoxville Thursday night, the Red Birds, men's softball team, have their next two games set for friendly Midtown Park against Carbide rivals, meeting K-25 next Monday night at 7:30 o'clock and ak Ridge National Laboratory on Friday, July 6, at

9 p. m. The Robins have three straight games upcoming. Keck-Davis will come out from Knoxville Friday night of this week and Corryton is scheduled for July 3, followed

by K-25 on July 6. None of the Y-12 teams could muster up a win last week. The Cards dropped a pair, losing to Fulton by 4 to 2 and Farragut by 15 to 9. The Red Birds lost their only outing to Vine Ave. in Knoxville by 5 to 1.

### Golf Team To Play Sears Outfit Here On Next Sunday

The league-leading Y-12 varsity golf team will meet the Sears-Roebuck outfit of Knoxville in a Smoky Mountain Golf League match at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, July 1. The engagement will be played over the Oak Ridge Golf and Country Club layout.

The Sears golfers have won two and lost one match in league competition this season, being tied with Rohm-Haas, K-25 and Standard Mills for second place. The TVA golfers have won one and lost two matches and Oak Ridge National Laboratory and Alcoa are in the cellar with no wins and three defeats.

The Y-12 victories in the league have been over Rohm-Haas, ORNL and K-25.

### ORNL Chemist Will Speak At Physics Seminar Meet

Dr. Henri A. Levy, of the Oak Ridge National Laboratory chemistry division, will be the principal speaker at the weekly meeting of the Oak Ridge Physics Seminar on Friday afternoon, June 29. The meeting will be held at 4 o'clock in the East Lounge of the Ridge Recreation Hall.

The topic of Dr. Levy's talk will be "Neutron Diffraction Studies of

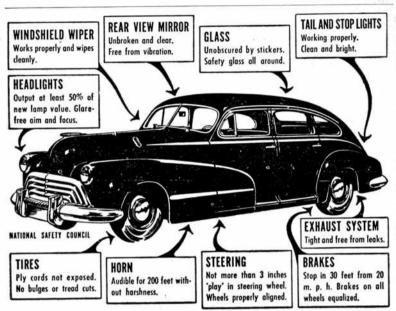
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# All Y-12 Motorists Urged To Have Vehicles Tested Early At Safety Lane, Opens July 2

The Oak Ridge Safety Lane, located on East Division Road, will begin inspection of privately owned vehicles for the second half of 1951 on next Tuesday morning, July 3, it has been announced by George E. Miller, Director of Public Safety for the city. From then until September 22 the lane will be open for Oak Ridge motorists to obtain the windshield sticker signifying their vehicles are in a safe condi-tion to operate. Present safety stickers bearing the June 30 ex-piration date will not be valid after September 22.

Hours of operation for the safety lane will be from 9:15 a. m. to 1:15 p. m. and from 2 p. m. to 6 p. m., Tuesdays through Fridays; and from 8:15 a.m. to 12 noon and 12:45 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturdays.

## **New Driving Permits Needed Before Sunday**

Only a few days remain for Y-12ers who have not done so to obtain new Tennessee state motor vehicle operator's license and to renew Government driving permits if they operate Government vehicles on the job.

Both of these permits must be renewed before Sunday, July 1, when both expire. Neither the state nor the Government permits ment, horn, windshield wiper and will be recognized after that date.

For Y-12ers needing Government driving permits the state license must first be obtained and presented at the Safety Department Office, Bldg. 9704-2, before the Government permit is issued.

As a convenience for night workers in Y-12 who will be unable to get their Government permits during normal working hours of the Safety Department, arrangements have been made to have Plant Shift Supervisors issue them. This office is in the west end of the Dispensary Building on First Oak Ridge sticker will be recog-Street.

The safety lane will be closed on Mondays and also on Wednesday, July 4, and Monday, September 3, which is Labor Day.

Early Inspection Is Urged

All Y-12 motorists are urged to have their automobiles inspected as soon as possible after the lane is opened. This will be of twofold benefit-the motorists will be assured that their automobiles are in safe operating condition and they will avoid the last minute rush.

Drivers bringing their cars to the safety lane are urged not to bring small children with them on the inspection trip. The danger of sudden stops as required on the brake testing machine and the presence of other vehicles in the safety lane area make it dangerous for the youngsters to be along. Attendants have orders not to permit children to remain in vehicles during the actual testing.

Motorists also are urged to check obvious items included in the safety inspection, such as lights and brakes, before visiting the safety lane. In doubtful cases considerable time may be saved if any known unsafe conditions on a vehicle are corrected before they are taken to the safety lane.

All Operating Equipment Tested

The safety lane tests include inspections of all parts of vehicles involved in safe operation—such as

The safety sticker to be awarded hand. vehicles successfully passing the safety lane inspection will orange on blue—the reverse of the present color scheme. The safety stickers will be required on all vehicles operated in Oak Ridge more than one day per week after the September 22 deadline.

Oak Ridge police authorities and those of other cities where recognized safety lanes are in operation have an agreement to recognize stickers of other cities. A valid nized in Knoxville and vice versa.

# Rescue Squads Contain Former Y-12 Man Many Y-12 Volunteers

Many Y-12ers have volunteered for membership in the rescue squads now being organized to work in the Oak Ridge Disaster Plan-groups who will follow up any emergency in the city that will require prying into wreckage to save accident victims buried in ruins or damaged buildings.

Squads Have 10 Members

The squads now are being trained by C. E. Engle, member of the Oak Ridge police department assigned to the Disaster Plan organization, headed by Oak Ridge Director of Safety George E. Miller. It is hoped to organize 19 such squads, one for each of the districts of the city mapped out as units in the Disaster Plan. Each squad would have 10 members, and be composed of men who want to give their own time in work that might be of great benefit in time of emergency.

Membership in each squad, Engle said, would be composed of one operator of heavy equipment such as a bulldozer or crane, one electrician, two carpenters, one rigger or burner and five "good strong backs."

20-Hour Course Planned

At a recent organizational and instruction meeting held at Pine-wood Park more than 20 Y-12ers reported. Engle said it is planned to hold training meetings at 5 o'clock each Tuesday afternoon and that it is hoped a 20-hour course of training would fit the men for their assigned duties.
Y-12ers wishing to join the groups are asked to communicate with other employees now enrolled or with Engle at Oak Ridge telephone 5-3521, Extension 58.

Among the Y-12ers now undergoing training for the rescue squad work are Forrest E. Rich, William Koons, Jake H. Sievers, Lewis Wickham, C. B. Hopkins, Ernest Bentley, Harrison Raper, Luther Walton, M. R. Vineyard, W. A. Parks, Ralph B. Littleton, Harrison Rembert, C. H. Beddingfield, E. C. Walker, L. K. Flynn, A. F. Ogden, E. E. Fox, R. L. Martin, Jerome E. Roberts, M. D. Varnadore and Al-

fred Moore. May Get "Live" Drill

At an early meeting of the rescue squad trainees it is hoped that the men can be drilled on some abandoned building where they can practice demolition work and res-cue a "dummy" hidden in the structure.



Continued from Page 2 week-ended at Camden,

Tenn., their old home.

Y-12 traffic at Myrtle Beach is getting heavier—Gladys Darnell, of the Reactor Technology Division, is vacationing there . . . Dr. R. N. Lyons and H. S. Poptendick are on a trip to California.

Dorothy and Johnny Hilyar, of the ANP Division, are visiting Mrs. F. O. Hilyer in Tallassee, Ala.

Whew-it's all over for this week. Thank you, correspondents, is paid. for your swell cooperation. You all get an "A" on your merit rating with Miss Moody when she returns. Meanwhile, many thanks

# Three Y-12ers Are Appointed

Three Y-12ers have been appointed to committees of the Oak Ridge Community Chest to assist in setting up the budget for the agency for the coming year. Jesse
M. Herndon and George W. Flack
are on the budget committee of chairman of the fund drive to be the chest and H. C. McBirney is a conducted by the Community Chest member of the board of directors in the fall.

# Survives Explosion **Damaging Destroyer**

Continued from Page 1 with a group of other Knoxville men. He left Y-12 last September and on October 5, 1950, was assigned to the Walke when it was recommissioned for service and has been with that ship ever since.

Coker is a Navy veteran of World War II, having enlisted on August 18, 1943, after graduating from Karns High School in Knox County. He served 28 months before being discharged in March. 1946. He came to work in Y-12 on April 24, 1950.

He is married to the former Miss Shirley Goodin, of Knoxville, and they have a son, Kenneth Edward, named after two of Coker's buddies killed in World War II. The Cokers live at 607 Sherrod Road, Knoxville.

# Savings Plan Payoff Is Set For July 2

time afterward.

However, no savings plan checks will be delivered before July 2 under any circumstances.

Meanwhile enrollment of eligible Y-12ers for the Seventh Savings Plan of Union Carbide, which begins operation on July 1, was concluded last Friday, June 22, for hourly and weekly roll employees.

Of 1475 such employees eligible to enroll in the Seventh Savings Plan, 1449 took advantage of the opportunity to do so. This is a 98.24 per cent enrollment.

Only 15 Decline To Join

Only 15 eligible Y-12ers declined to enroll when given the opportunity to participate in the new savings plan. Divisional representatives distributing enrollment and payroll deduction cards were unable to reach the remaining 11 eligible employees because of vacations, illness or other reasons; although every effort was made to reach every eligible person in the plant. These persons eligible to enroll in the savings plan may do so at any time and may obtain enrollment cards at the office of the Paymaster.

The deadline for monthly roll employees to have their enrollment and deduction authorization cards filed with the Payroll Department is July 6. There are 518 such employees in the Y-12 area and it is expected that the percentage to sign up will be large.

Eligible After Year's Service

Employees who become eligible for enrollment in the Seventh Savings Plan by acquiring one year of Company service will be notified of their eligibility and given an opportunity to enroll. Eligible employees are permitted to invest up to seven and one-half per cent of their earnings in the plan, to which the Company adds from 10 to 30 per cent, depending on length of service. To the total of these deposits interest of two per cent per year, compounded annually,

### RESEARCH PROJECT OPENED

Canadian Premier Leslie Frost to Marguerite Collins, of Personnel, who so kindly gave a helping hand.

has officially opened the new \$675,000 nuclear research building of the Hamilton College of Mc-Master University. It ranks as the dominion's top atomic research laboratory outside of Chalk River, says the Toronto Star.

to negotiate with the Anderson County Council on Cerebral Palsy to determine that group's budget.

Lester D. Berger, Jr., special assistant to Clark E. Center, General Manager of Carbide operations

# Plant Engineering Tops Major League

Positions at the top of the attendance standings in the Major League were shuffled around for the week ending June 17 over the previous week with Plant Engineering taking over the first spot from Research Services, which had held the lead for the preceding three weeks with perfect marks. Good Mark Is Posted

Plant Engineering reported .3 per cent of its personnel absent for the latest reporting period. In second place was Electrical Maintenance with .5 per cent of its membership absent while in third place was Maintenance Shops with an absentee mark of 1.5 per cent. The first three departments were in circle with third case. in eighth, third and fourth place

the previous week. More and six departments in the Minor League reported "all present" records for the week ending June 17 as against eight the previous week. Of the first six, three were repeaters. They were Steam Plant, Property Sales and Tools. The others were the Laundry, Cafe-teria and Canteen and Employee Relations, the third, sixth and 10th place departments for the preceding week.

Departments Closely Bunched

Second place in the Minor League went to Manufacturing Office with an absentee record of .55 per cent. Right behind was Maintenance Utilities with only .58 per cent of its employees not at work. Both of these departments were in a first place tie the previous week.

The plant-wide absentee record for the week ending June 17 was 2.4 per cent, an increase of .2 per cent from the previous week. The

record, by departments, follows:

MAJOR LEAGUE

More Than 50 Employees Scheduled
Percentage Standing
Dept. Absent 6-17-51 6-10-51 absentee percentage was 2.4 per per cent higher than the pre-Group absercent, .1 perceding week.

MINOR LEAGUE 15-49 Employees Scheduled Percentage Standing 6-17-51 6-10-51 Group absentee percentage was 2.2 cent, .4 per cent higher than the precing week. ing week.

The plant average for the week ending June 17 was 2.4 per cent, 2 per cent, 12 per cent, 2 per cent, 3 per cent, 2 per cent, 3 per cent, 4 per cent, 3 per cent, 3

Curtain Time To Feature 'Call Me Madam' Sunday

One of the current musical show "Call Me Madam," a story of a woman diplomat and her adventures in a mythical European country. Ethel Merman created the role of the woman minister in the part said to be inspired by Mrs. Perle Mesta, United States Minister to Luxemburg.

Song hits from this production are to be presented on the Curtain

Time radio program next Sunday night, July 1. The program is sponsored by Carbide. Among the numbers featured are "Marrying For Love" and "Once Upon A Time Today."